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**Administrative Director Declares Illinois Associate Judge
Appointed in the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit**

Cynthia Y. Cobbs, Director of the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts, announced that the judges in the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit voted to appoint Honorable George Bridges as an associate judge.

Judge Bridges received his undergraduate degree in 1982 from National Louis University, Evanston, Illinois, and his Juris Doctor in 1987 from Chicago-Kent in Chicago, Illinois. Judge Bridges has been a circuit judge in the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit.